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A Weekly Chronicle of Local Events and Progress on Linn County Land

HALSEY, OREGON

APRIL 28, 1926

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Halsey Happenings and County Events

Doings of Our Populace Chronicled in Brief Paragraphs

T. J. Skirvin was in Eugene Thursday.

Jim McMahan visited Portland Monday.

Grant Taylor has new shingles on his roof.

Mrs. M. M. Ward got badly jarred in a fall but is recovering.

Georgina Clark was the guest of Miss Genevieve Wells Sunday.

J. C. Porter and wife and Mrs. Fred Sprenger were in Albany Friday.

Charlie Willis has been taken to Albany four times with that broken forearm.

Mrs. C. S. Veatch went to Portland with Cottage Grove friends Wednesday.

Mrs. C. P. Stafford, Mrs. Dr. Marks and W. M. Burbank were in Albany Thursday.

Mrs. Florence Leeper and son Francis of Eugene visited at Frank Leeper's Wednesday.

Mrs. D. F. Dean went to Coquille the last of the week for a visit with her husband.

On account of indisposition Mrs. Crippen postponed her departure for Portland a day and went Thursday.

Mrs. Slater, teacher of the Grasshopper school, damaged her auto in a crash but escaped personal injury.

G. W. Starr went to Brownsville Saturday to the funeral of his uncle, G. W. Starr. His wife went with him.

Mrs. Frank Porter of Portland visited Mrs. C. P. Stafford and other friends in these parts the last of last week.

Misses Dorothy Cororan, Ernestine Coleman and Bessie Reynolds spent Saturday afternoon at Warren Isom's.

J. W. Evans and family had at their Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thoms, Mrs. S. O. Holloway and Paul Jensen.

Harley St. John of Shedd is under a doctor's care with a sprained ankle, a result of the ball game here last week.

C. R. Mary and Maria Evans visited their sister, Mrs. E.

Lucky, and family in Eugene Friday.

Miss Beulah Miller spent Saturday in Albany.

Mrs. T. P. Patton is home from Seattle.

Mrs. J. J. Corcoran was in Albany Wednesday.

T. J. Skirvin and wife were in Albany Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Tate and wife have a boy born Monday.

Mrs. William Zellner had three incubators of eggs hatching Friday.

Mrs. E. A. P. LaFollette of Corvallis was a week end visitor in Halsey.

Miss Ernestine Coleman took dinner with Dorothy Corcoran Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Yates and family of Albany spent Sunday at Warren Isom's.

Dr. Marks and wife spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Applegate of Yoncalla.

Mrs. W. A. Muller and son Harold and Mrs. J. C. Porter and son Harry were in Albany Thursday.

George Maxwell was visited Sunday by his sisters, Mrs. Ida Cummings and Mrs. Alva Smith of Albany.

Mrs. J. J. Corcoran went to Salem Sunday to visit her daughter Willmina, who is in the tuberculosis hospital.

Miss Agnes Chandler, who is now attending normal, spent the week end at home and attended the high school play.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrel and niece Mildred of Hillsboro returned home Wednesday after a visit with Mrs. Eldon Cross.

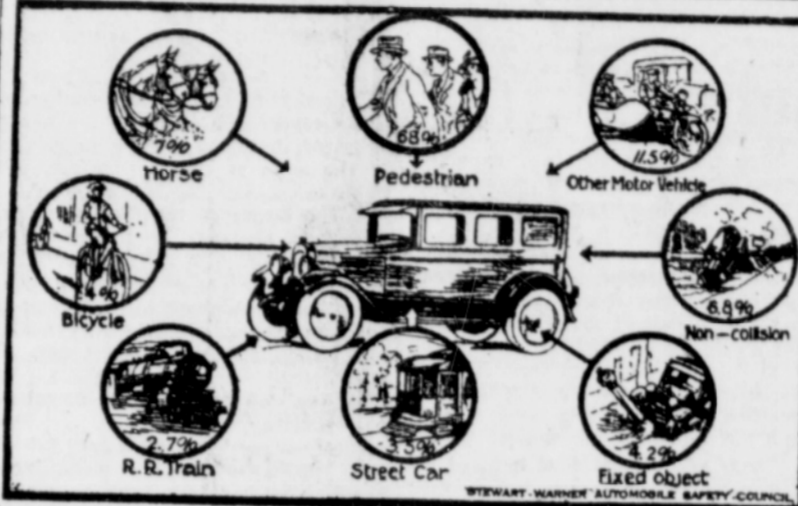
S. J. Smith and wife and Mrs. Stafford visited at O. B. Stalnaker's Sunday and brought Mrs. Stalnaker home for an over night visit with her father, T. P. Patton.

Mrs. S. J. Holloway had a visit last week from her daughter, Mrs. Lulu Brock, and granddaughter, Mrs. Lee Lowery, of Oregon City and the latter's children, the last of the week.

At the Linn county Jersey jubilee at the county fair grounds, May 19, Lewis W. Wooley of the American Jersey Cattle club will be a speaker from New York.

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Pedestrian Greatest Victim of Automobile Accidents



THE PEDESTRIAN is the greatest sufferer in automobile fatalities, according to records analyzed by the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents. No complete record is available for the United States as a whole, but a report based on 3,023 auto fatalities occurring in the first seven months of 1925, covering a population of thirty-one million, is significant. Two thousand of these 3,023 fatalities have been classified according to type. Sixty-eight per cent of the victims were pedestrians, 11.5 per cent with another motor vehicle; 7 per cent with horse vehicles, 4.2 per cent with fixed objects such as lamp posts, 3.5 per cent with street cars, 2.7 per cent with railway trains and 1.4 per cent with bicycles. The remaining 6.8 per cent involved no collision. The small proportion involving railway trains is encouraging and doubtless due to the gradual abolition of unguarded grade crossings. The menace to the pedestrian, however, is alarming, and calls for greater care on his part in crossing streets and on the drivers for more careful driving.

Kirk Kinks

(By an Enterprise Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rike were in Albany and Brownsville callers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davidson spent Thursday afternoon at W. R. Kirk's.

A. L. Falk and family and Albert West motored to Albany Wednesday.

Grace Kirk came home for the week end, bringing her friend, Eva Hulbert, with her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kirk attended the open forum meeting at Charity grange Friday evening.

The M. B. Hardings are caring for 1000 white Leghorn baby chicks which they purchased at Eugene.

Hiram Bierly, who has been working in Southern Oregon, spent the week end at R. E. Bierly's.

Mrs. Ella Long, who has been nursing at L. R. Falk's, returned to her home near Rowland Friday evening.

Edna Geer called at Kirk school Monday afternoon. A special meeting was held and it was decided to build a new school house this summer.

Visitors at L. R. Falk's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bierly and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rike, Harlie Rike, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Falk and daughter Delma, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Christensen and Mrs. W. R. Kirk and son Raymond.

Not Much Like Oregon

Can a Halseyite, who has not seen snow within a year nor a day when stock might not graze in green fields and a bouquet of flowers be gathered in the garden, visualize the situation described in the following dispatch from St. Albans, Vt., dated April 16:

Spring seemed farther away than ever in northern Vermont tonight after an all-day snowstorm. The storm extended south to central Vermont and westward beyond the New Hampshire line.

The ground is still snowcovered and in the woods drifts five feet deep are found. The mercury in thermometers sank to near zero levels on two recent mornings and snow fell Wednesday and Thursday. The snowfall today reached to Woodsville, in the upper Connecticut valley.

George Githens and sons Russell and Merle of Peoria were in Halsey Tuesday and attended the practice ball game between Shedd and Halsey.

Pine Grove Points

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. Sylvester has a light case of smallpox.

Mrs. W. G. McNeil was an Albany caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eagy and son Lyle were Albany visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Rosa Overton of Albany spent the week end at the Bert Haynes home.

Miss Agnes Chandler was at home for the week end, she is teaching at Eola.

George McNeil and family were Sunday guests at Will McLaren's.

L. E. Eagy and family and Mrs. Mary McNeil visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Eagy at Oakville Sunday.

A. F. Albertson and W. G. McNeil and their families attended the revival meeting at Peoria Thursday evening.

Mrs. Hover and Mrs. McLaren attended the group meeting of the Womens Missionary Society at the South Methodist church at Peoria Tuesday.

The High school baseball teams played Junction City teams Friday. The games all went in favor of Junction City. Mrs. Irma Shotwell chaperoned the girls' team.

Church Notices

Church of Christ

Sunday School, 10.
Morning worship, 11
"What are you Doing With Your Voice?"
Christian Endeavor, 7.
Preaching, 8.
Topic, "How to Make One's Daily Work Christian."
Clifford L. Carey, pastor.

M. E. Church

Robert Parker pastor.
Sunday school, 10.
Preaching, 11.
Junior League, 2:30.
Epworth league, 7.
Preaching, 8.
Prayer-meeting, Thursday, 8.
Bible Study Tuesday, 2.

Alford Arrows

(By an Enterprise Reporter)

Jack Curtis visited at Chester Curtis' Sunday.

Chester Curtis and family visited at Chas. Tandy's Thursday evening.

E. D. Isom and A. E. Whitbeck attended the I. O. O. F. meeting at Brownsville Saturday night.

Mrs. J. F. Isom of Oakridge visited at the E. D. Isom and A. E. Whitbeck homes over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter of Portland and Mrs. Will Porter of Shedd were callers at A. E. Whitbeck's Sunday.

Mrs. Kump and daughter Miss Nina of Eugene spent the week end with their son and brother, Brian Perry, and family.

Mrs. Harry Wicks, formerly Miss Mildred Goodman of this neighborhood but now of Corvallis, and her baby son visited Thelma Ingram Thursday night and Friday.

Miss Agnes Chandler has been engaged to teach Alford school next year. Mrs. E. D. Isom, the present teacher, is to teach the Powell school, between Halsey and Brownsville.

Mrs. Seth Hollis, formerly Irene Calvert of this community but now of Goshen, with her baby daughter and her mother, Mrs. John Willoughby, and grandmother, Mrs. Brown, called on Thelma Ingram Sunday.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

Chauncey M. Depew was 92 years old last Friday.

Luke F. Parsons, last survivor of the John Brown bands of Civil war days, died at Salina, Kan.

Restrictions against entrance of Hawaiian-born citizens of Oriental origin into the United States have been ordered removed.

Wind and floods in Texas and Oklahoma claimed at least 14 lives, caused injuries to a score of persons and resulted in thousands of dollars property damage.

The senate elections committee unanimously agreed to throw out the election contest brought against Senator Brattain, democrat, New Mexico, by ex-Senator Bursum, a republican.

Premier Briand, replying to a socialist interpellation in the French chamber of deputies, said he was convinced Premier Mussolini was trying to realize Italy's legitimate aspirations and that he did not wish to disturb the peace of Europe.

Muscle Shoals Bargain Made.

Washington, D. C.—The bid of the Southern Associated Power companies for the lease of Muscle Shoals was reported unofficially as the proposal which would receive the endorsement of the majority of the joint Muscle Shoals congressional committee.

New York Solons Repel Wet Project.

Albany, N. Y.—The New York assembly by a vote of 61 to 81 defeated a bill asking congress to call a national constitutional convention to repeal the prohibition amendment.

Mussolini Extends Thanks to Fletcher

Rome—Premier Mussolini expressed the thanks of the Italian government to Ambassador Henry P. Fletcher for his valuable aid in effecting the settlement of the Italian debt.

3000th U. of O. Student Enrolled.

Eugene, Or.—Constance Cois, Peoria, broke all enrollment records of the University of Oregon when she filed her card and brought the total of the university to 3000.

Judge English Ordered to Face Trial.

Washington, D. C.—Federal Judge George W. English of the Eastern Illinois district, was commanded by the senate to appear at its bar on May 3 at 12:30 p. m., to answer charges of usurpation of power and other misdemeanors.

N. Y. Turns Clocks Forward One Hour.

New York.—Daylight saving went into effect here at 2 a. m. Sunday. Clocks were to be turned ahead one hour.

Happenings in Public Schools

(Enterprise Correspondence)

William Landon, Leila Gansle, John Miller, Daniel Wesley and Keith Hayes have all been absent part of the week on account of illness.

The grade girls played an interesting game of ball with the grade girls of Harrisburg Friday afternoon. The score was 8 to 6 in favor of Harrisburg. The Halsey team was made up of smaller girls than the Harrisburg team which gave them a decided advantage.

Coraleah Moody returned to school Tuesday after being absent on account of illness.

Mrs. Moore was a visitor in the primary room Thursday.

Coughs and colds have been so prevalent among the children in the primary room the past week you would think a coughing contest was being staged and their teacher finds it decidedly noisy.

The grade rooms engaged in a poster-making contest for the play given Saturday evening, a prize being offered for the neatest one. Alice Sturtevant was the lucky little girl and the prize was a reserved-seat ticket to the play.

The Halsey grade boys played the Shedd grades in a baseball game Thursday. Halsey was victorious, with a score of 15 to 5. Keep your eyes on this team. It hasn't lost a game yet.

"Yimmie Yonson's Yob," rendered by a cast from Halsey high last Saturday evening, filled the Halsey opera house. No crack traveling troupe could have given better satisfaction to a Halsey audience. The receipts were \$111.

Clara Hoppe, daughter of Clarence Hoppe, new arrivals from Minnesota, is a pupil in Mrs. Coleman's room.

Halsey in the World's Longest Power System

(Sunset for May)

The longest "super-power" system in the world is operating over lines stretching from Montana through Idaho into Washington and down the coast through Oregon and California, ending in Mexico. Its direct connecting power lines extend more than 1800 miles. A score of great distributing systems are connected by this "super-power" chain.

Various brands of "juice" are served by this system. Some comes from hydro-electric plants high in the mountains, some from steam plants in the cities, some from oil burners. All "super-power" means is that the connecting companies agree to plug for one another in emergencies and to aid each other at times of peak loads.

How many minutes, by actual count, has your power been off in the past year? Not many, we'll wager, unless a fuse gave out under the strain of the new electric range, the percolator, the toaster, the water heater and the electric pump, all going at once. Thank "super-power" for wiping out all those annoying breaks of an hour or two we used to regret in the good old days. A lightning bolt can knock out the plant in Montana, but they'll have "juice" up there in a few minutes from Mexico or southern California.

Mrs. Anna Bailey of Eugene was a speaker at the all-day meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the church of Christ Friday. Albany, Brownsville and Lebanon members were present.

While playing in front of West & Mack's restaurant recently Frederick Robins snapped a playing thing he was carrying in a dog's ear and is carrying the marks of the dog's teeth in his cheek. Dr. Marks dressed the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason were visiting in Halsey Sunday.

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